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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Masayuki MARUTA et al.

Serial No.: 08/815,592 ✓

Group No.: 1511 ✓

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Examiner: Yoon ✓

For: POWDER COATING ✓

AMENDMENT

The Honorable Commissioner  
of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

January 12, 1998  
(Monday)

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Office Action dated September 11, 1997, the due date for filing a response having been extended one (1) month to January 11, 1998, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel ✓ claims 1 and 8 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter contained therein.

Please amend ✓ the following claims:

Claim 2

Line 2, change "1" to --22-- ✓

Claim 3

Line 2, change "1" to --22-- ✓